



**The Nevada Division of Emergency Management & Homeland Security
Is pleased to offer:**

**Public Information Officer /Joint Information Center Training
(No Cost Training)**

Course Description:

This 1-day workshop covers: design and function of a Joint Information Center (JIC); Joint Information System (JIS) team training, organization, and functions (ICS/NIMS design).

Objectives:

Define NIMS public information systems to include onsite operations, the Joint Information System (JIS), and the Joint Information Center (JIC), and how they relate to each other; describe the JIS/JIC process of gathering, verifying, coordinating, and disseminating information by public information and incident management personnel; identify each agency involved in given emergency situations and the role of each in the JIS to ensure appropriate situational awareness information is communicated to the public; define key terms related to public information systems to include the relationship with multiagency coordination systems and the field; identify typical resource requirements for public information systems.

Target Audience

This course is designed for experienced Public Information Officers (PIOs). It will touch on the fundamentals of effective public information programs, but only to illustrate or provide examples for the details of the NIMS public information systems.

Course Dates: February 6th, 2014

Application Deadline: January 15th, 2014

Time of Course: 8:30 am – 5:00 pm

Location: 2478 Fairview Drive
Carson City, NV 89701

Recommended Prerequisites:

NIMS IS 700, IS 800, ICS

Enrollment: Applicants are encouraged to enroll via the NDEM training website at:

http://dem.nv.gov/training/DEM_Course_Registration_Form/

Applicants wishing to register via the internet and experiencing difficulties should call NDEM Training at (775) 687-0320, Michele Candee, State Training Officer or Darlene Loff, Support Specialist (775)687-0374.